

Miss Peddie, \$450; Estate Mrs. Andrew Stuart, \$4,000; Estate Hugh MacKay, \$1,000.

The total number of indoor patients treated during the year just ended was 2,190, a decrease of 334 from the year preceding. Of these 145 remained from last year, and 2,045 were admitted during the year 1890-91.

There were discharged:

Cured.....	1,345
Improved.....	467
Unimproved.....	49
Not treated.....	95

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1,956

There died in the Hospital..... 139

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Making the total number of indoor patients treated to a conclusion during the year..... 2,035

There remained in the wards, 30th April, 1891..... 155

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Giving a total of..... 2,190

Of the above deaths, 32 occurred within three days after admission, several being moribund by the time they reached the Hospital.

The average daily number of patients in the wards during the year was 145. The average time of each patient in the Hospital was 26.13 days, being greater by 4.73 days than last year; and the aggregate number of days spent in the Hospital by all patients was 53,191, an increase of 3,371 from last year.

Of the indoor patients treated to a conclusion, there were:—

Males.....	1,219	Roman Catholics.....	758
Females.....	816	Protestants.....	1,252
		Other religions.....	25

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Total..... 2,035

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Ordinary patients..... 1,523

Immigrants..... 86

Ordinary pay patients.... 457

Strangers..... 312

Private pay patients..... 55

Sailors..... 77

Citizens..... 1,560

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The percentage of deaths to the whole admission is 6.35; and if the 32 cases in which death occurred within three days after admis-